Mountain Weather Forecast

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Thursday 08 Jul 2021 until 23:59 on Friday 09 Jul 2021

Forecast Issued on Thursday 08 Jul 2021 at 04:19 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for increasingly showery weather again by the weekend. Lower for shower and cloud detail.

Headline for Thursday 08 Jul 2021: Dry sunny start then cloud building to bring a few showers, turning heavy in the evening.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 08 Jul 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
No Likelihood

Thunderstorms
Low Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Light rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain
Precipitation probability					
<05%	<05%	10%	20%	30%	30%

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Weather: A dry sunny start to the day for most, some patchy cloud. Cloud will build up through the day and while most will stay dry a few well scattered showers may break out in the afternoon, becoming heavier in the evening with a risk of thunder. The Ochils and Perthshire Hills will stay clear in the evening but the north will be cloudy with some hill fog developing.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 80%, falling 30% over the north in the evening.

Visibility: Mostly good or very good with only slight reductions in showers. Poor where cloud starts to lower onto hills above 600m in Aberdeenshire in the evening.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	8/9 SW	6/8 W	7/10 W	8/11 W	9/13 SE	7/9 SE	6/8 S
900	6/8 SW	6/8 W	7/10 W	7/10 W	7/11 SE	6/8 SE	6/8 S
600	3/5 W	3/5 NW	6/9 NW	5/9 NE	5/8 W	4/6 SE	4/7 S
300	3/7 W	3/6 SW	5/9 W	4/7 NE	3/7 E	3/6 E	3/7 N
Glen	2/5 W	2/4 SW	4/7 NE	5/9 E	4/8 E	3/8 SE	2/6 N

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	8/6	8/7	10/9	11/10	11/9	10/9	9/8
900	9/8	11/10	12/11	13/12	13/11	12/11	11/10
600	11/11	14/13	16/15	16/16	15/15	14/13	13/12
300	13/13	16/16	18/18	18/18	17/17	15/15	14/14
Glen	13/13	17/17	18/18	18/18	17/17	15/16	14/14
Freezing Level*	2500m	2500m	2600m	2700m	2700m	2700m	2700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Showers becoming focussed across eastern Aberdeenshire and Angus hills in the evening.

Forecast for Friday 09 Jul 2021
Weather: A dry day with some bright or sunny spells in the south. But cloudier in the north with some showery rain developing.

Maximum wind: Variable 5-10mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 80% in south 20% in north.

Visibility: Very good in south. Good becoming moderate in showers in the north and very poor where cloud at 600-800m persists.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 11 Celsius at dawn rising to Plus 21 in the afternoon in the south, 17 in the north.
At 800m: Plus 11 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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